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A fair given at Albany last week by the young ladies of the Leodelphian Society netted over $110.

Walter Ketchum was chosen director and A. N. Arnold clerk at the school election in Albany last Monday.

A good competent school teacher can get a six months' school by applying to S. P. Lee, at Damascus, Clackamas county.

Mr. T. Bacon, son of the P. M. at Oregon City, presented Cataract Hose Co. No. 2, of that place, with a fine flag at their last meeting.

The Pioneer Oil Mills at Salem have received six sacks of fine flax seed from Indiana which will be distributed among the farmers.

Last Monday two Albany citizens, both pioneers, started for foreign lands—Mr. William Crawford to Ireland and John Gantor to Germany.

Lafayette School District elected D. Johnson director and H. Hurley clerk. McMinnville chose B. H. Bunn and George Barman, as directors.

Circuit Court for Linn county, after being in session for two weeks and a half, adjourned last Wednesday. This is the longest term ever known in Linn.

A petition, largely signed, has been forwarded to the Governor, praying him to pardon and release Mr. J. D. May, sentenced to two years for perjury from Linn county.

Dr. J. Lindsey Hill, of Albany, lost a valuable horse last Wednesday evening. While he was attempting to bring the animal under control, it reared up and fell and broke its neck.

Grand Master, J. P. Apperson, returned home last Wednesday from Eastern Oregon, where he had been on an official visit to the various lodges of the I. O. O. F. under his jurisdiction.

Two high-toned Chinamen were booked at the St. Charles, at Albany, last Tuesday, and one of them stated that in about three weeks he would bring up from Portland 150 Celestials to work on the Santiam canal.

The *Statesman* says: "The steamboat *Don't Bother Me* was finished yesterday, steam raised, and started for Albany. She is a decided success, though not a very fast boat. She will arrive at Albany some time next winter.

People who live at the foot hills of the Cascade range complain that since the game law went into force the deer and elk tramp up their gardens and tear their clothes from the line in the back yards. They can't bother at this thing much longer.

The Farmers' Club of District No. 24, Linn county, organized last Monday evening, by electing the following officers: Matthew Brand, President; John D. Burris, Vice President; V. H. Caldwell, Secretary; W. J. Smith, Assistant Secretary.

The *Register* says. "The Odd Fellows of Albany and their friends will celebrate the anniversary of Odd Fellowship, April 26th, by an excursion and picnic to Corvallis, Barnum Lodge of that city having extended the invitation to us. Rev. Mr. Nesbitt, of Corvallis, having been selected by Barnum Lodge to deliver an oration on the occasion, all who attend may expect a rich literary feast from one of Oregon's most brilliant orators."

Brown, of the Albany *Democrat*, perpetrates the following: "In the trial of Elias Keeney last week, a witness who had played the fiddle at the ball at which the tragedy occurred, was asked by the counsel what he was doing at the ball that night, to which he proudly replied: 'My services, sir, were brought into requisition at a modest and scarcely remunerative salary, to discourse appropriate and witching strains of harmonial music upon the violincello in the orchestra during the Terpsichorean festivities of the evening.' The counsel thought he had only been hired to scrape cat gut."

Mrs. Robbins of Polk county heated a kettle of water last Thursday for some purpose, and her attention being called in another direction, she set it down on the floor and passed out of doors, leaving a little child about three years of age playing in the kitchen. In a few seconds she heard a scream, and hurrying back found the child in the boiling water. Mr. Robbins was called in, and upon removing the clothes the skin and a portion of the flesh on its left arm and side dropped off. After doing everything in his power to alleviate the child's suffering, he hurried to Salem to procure medical aid. It is hoped that the little sufferer will recover, but fears are entertained that it will prove fatal.

A writer from Sandy, Clackamas county, sends the *Enterprise* the following: The citizens of this precinct and vicinity feeling desirous to have this section of country settled more rapidly, have organized a society through which we expect to be able to extend knowledge to those desiring "cheap homes." That there is a vast section of country here that is yet unclaimed, awaiting the strong arm of industry to make it yield and bring forth its golden harvest. This society does not intend to publish anything but facts, and a truthful description of this part of the county, and the inducements and advantages which it possesses. Those who desire further information in regard to this part of the country, can obtain it by calling on, or writing to Mr. G. W. Sherrock, the Corresponding Secretary, in English, or Richard Gordes, the Corresponding Secretary, in the German languages, and they will be answered promptly.

The *Statesman* of the 11th inst. says: "It is the custom of the Ancient Scottish Right Masons throughout the world to hold their annual feast upon the night of what is known as Holy Thursday. Yesterday being the appointed day the Albert Pike Lodge of this city, Mr. S. F. Chadwick, T. P. G. M., officers and brethren, assembled at the Chemeketa Hotel last evening to celebrate the great feast. The ceremonies performed at the table were most impressive and beautiful, and to even those blind to their meaning were strangely attractive. The feast prepared was of the most sumptuous kind, as everything within the culinary power of a first class cook and the climate of our country filled the spacious tables to overflowing. Feasts were given in a style peculiar to the Order, to the President of the United States, Sovereign Grand Commander, to Masons living and those who have gone to that bourne from whence no weary traveler returns. After spending a pleasant evening in feasting and toasting the brethren and invited guests, ourselves among the number dispersed with the recollection of having spent one of the most pleasant evenings of their lives."

The N. Y. *Herald's* Washington correspondent, in describing the proceedings of the last day of the Senate's extra session, shoots off this charge:

> As a charity to ex Senator Patterson, his pamphlet has been allowed to go into the Congressional record, and the poor victim of Hoax Ames is welcome to all the satisfaction he may derive from so small a boon, which was, however, only granted under the terrorizing influence of Sherman's threat that if the Senate refused to have it printed he (Sherman) would read the whole pamphlet of forty five pages from beginning to end before the Senate, and thus force it into the Congressional record as part of the proceedings. The Senate yielded to this terrible threat.

A gentleman who recently arrived from England, giving his experience at his boarding house says it is "most extraordinary; but, by Jove! it seemed to be Hash Wednesday every day in the Week."

THE TERRITORIES.

The epizootic, lingering, fills the lap of spring, out in Arizona.

Stages have commenced running daily between Boise City and Kelton.

A pack train of 150 mules left Walla Walla for northern mines last Monday.

The sheriff at Olympia is advertising two printing presses for sale for delinquent taxes of the year 1872.

Captain Davis and Lieutenant Condon have been assigned to the revenue cutter *Lincoln*, at Port Townsend.

The *Tribune* says a lot of Chinese graders were to begin work clearing the road-bed of the N. P. R. R., from Tenino, on last Tuesday.

Hon. L. P. Beach, Surveyor General of Washington Territory, returned yesterday from the East. He will leave for Olympia to-day.

A somewhat celebrated Kentucky horse, called Lover, has been purchased by Mr. John Early of Idaho, and is now on his way to Boise City.

An Olympia paper says: "The next Presbytery for Oregon and Washington Territory will be held at the Lapwai Mission, commencing on the 9th of May.

An Idaho Judge referred some cases to his son to take testimony and reduce the same to writing. Since then the lawyers who are compelled to read the testimony through, ask the Judge to commute their penalty to imprisonment for life.

There is a vacancy in the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, to be filled by an appointment by Hon. O. B. McFadden. The last appointee from Washington Territory failed on account of the lack of the required physical proportions.

The *Echo* says: "If anybody doubts the amount of "business" done in Olympia and vicinity, let him stand on the wharf some day and see the amount of concentrated murder—gin, whisky, brandy, and the like—that arrives every week."

The following were the prices at which contracts were let by the Government for supplying Fort Boise with grain, hay, wood, etc., recently: Wood, $8 48 per cord; coal, 32 cents per pound; barley, $3 24 per cwt; hay, $10 per ton; straw, $7 75 per ton.

Hon. Martin Maginnis, the new Delegate from Montana Territory, is said to be the youngest man in Congress. He has just entered his thirty-second year; was a brave soldier; was engaged in all but one battle in which the army of the Potomac took part, and in withal an affable gentleman.

The Silver City and Winnemucca route will be continued every other day until the middle of this month, when they will commence running daily. On the Umatilla route, it will be about the first of May before they will run daily stages. Horses on this last route are taking the epizootic very slow.

The Olympia *Echo* says: "Here is an item in favor of direct steam communication with San Francisco: Two small packages, weighing about forty pounds, arrived here by steamer on Monday, coming by way of Portland, on which the charges amounted to $3 75, and an addition of twenty-five cents for delivering; total, $4. This rate per ton would soon pay for a big steamer."

The New Mexico *Borderer* urges the settlement at an early day of the land grant question in the Territory. It says the unsettled condition of titles in southern New Mexico, especially in Messilla valley, is working much harm, and retarding the progress and development of its vast and varied resources. The establishment of a United States land office in that section is needed without delay.

Mr. Pearson, from the Department of the Interior at Washington, has arrived in Olympia, where he will stay a week, and act in conjunction with Mr. Boone in letting the Penitentiary contract. This contract will be let next Monday. Instead of submitting the bids to the Secretary of the Interior, as is usual in such cases, by the coming of Mr. Pearson that will be dispensed with, and the matter settled in Olympia.

The most extraordinary frog story that we have seen for a long time comes from Colorado. The Greeley *Tribune* tells it thus: "Mr. Graham recently found a petrified frog in excavating his well. Its features were wonderfully well preserved, and the owner had intended to present it to the Greeley Geological Cabinet, but one day the boys shattered it with a hatchet, and, to their utter surprise, an old Aztec coin dropped out. The date cannot be deciphered, but the figure of a head is plainly visible."

Washington County Letter.

HILLSBORO, April 11, 1873.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The Commissioners' Court for Washington county, after sitting two days, adjourned on Thursday evening. The time was taken up in granting lumber for bridges and straightening roads. An order was made to sell the old Court House for $700, and that the next term of Court be held in the new Court House. The award for Clerk's desk and desks for the Judges was given to A. L. Johnson, of Forest Grove.

The School Districts throughout the county have generally voted means to keep up six, and in some cases nine, months' schools, which certainly speaks well for the county.

The county officers are kept very busy, and still the business seems to be increasing. Reference to the records show at least an increase of one-fourth over last month.

The farmers are pushing forward the spring work as fast as possible, and should the weather hold good this month the spring-sown grain bids fair to exceed that of last year. The circulating medium seems to be unaccountably close, and those who have been accustomed to pay cash down want to know "where all the money has gone," a question I leave you to answer, and if Portland has it, "own up;" don't lay it on San Francisco.

The O. C. R. R. paid its taxes in this county a few days since, amounting to some $1,600.

The ladies seem to be enjoying themselves hugely, between fishing, gathering flowers, and other like healthy out-door exercises. The health of the county is unusually good, with the exception of Wapato, which is very busy measling just now.

Friend Wehrung, agent for the *Herald* at this place, solemnly declared the other day that the reduction of fare on the Oregon Central "was owing to the Democracy getting control of it." I don't know how it is, but rather think Brother Gaston will dispute with the "Democratic party" as to who shall have the honor of having done one good act.

Orders of publication in the Forest Grove *Independent*, of summonses for this county, are made, which will help that paper materially, though it as yet has no appointment as "Litigant Organ."

A Portland (Maine) dispatch of March 26th, says:

> The Marr heirs met here to day and formed an association called the Marr Claim Association, to prosecute their claims to the estate of Marr, in Scotland, worth $60 000,000. They voted to accept the services of Edwin Payson, of Portland, now in England looking up a similar claim, and raised some money for the purpose of prosecuting the claim.

By Overland Telegraph.

EASTERN DATES TO APRIL 11.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Our Railway Again.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—In the matter of the application of the Oregon and California Railroad, an order will be issued for the withdrawal of lands in aid of its construction from Roseburg to Buck Lake, Oregon. The Secretary of the Interior decides that the lands may be withdrawn for the benefit of the Company, from Roseburg to the Wallamet meridian, on the line of the amended map filed with this application, provided the Company shall make assurance that this shall be its definite line of location.

The Union Pacific Litigation.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Thomas Jenicks, of Rhode Island, is retained by the Attorney General to assist in the prosecution against the Credit Mobilier and Union Pacific. It is proposed to prepare a bill in equity in which the Government, as a creditor, will seek first to compel stockholders to pay into the treasury of the company the par value of full paid stocks as required by the charter, but which was issued for much less, secondly, to compel Credit Mobilier stockholders to restore to the company treasury their illegal and inordinate profits, which have endangered the credit of the Government loan to the road.

One out of a Thousand.

CHICAGO, April 11.—Ex-Senator Cole has informed the President and Secretary of State, he is not a candidate for any foreign appointment. He does not want the mission to Japan, nor will he accept any appointment.

The general impression now is that ex Senator Nye will be appointed Minister to Japan.

EASTERN STATES.

From the Wrecked Atlantic.

HALIFAX, April 10.—Two schooners arrived this morning with a lot of goods saved from the *Atlantic*. The Collector of Customs went down to the wreck to-day. A strong southeast wind and rain, with heavy sea, is bad for the vessel. The body of Brinley was washed ashore at Limburg to-day. There were life preservers on the body. The New York wreckers arrived at the scene of the wreck to-day. They got all their apparatus in order and will commence to-morrow morning. They will probably blow a hole in the side of the ship. Three bodies of steerage passengers were recovered to-day.

The Flood Still Continues.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 10.—Oswego river is now at the highest point since 1865. Several frame buildings have been swept away and others injured. The dam at Noyes Woolen Factory was torn away and goods carried down stream, involving a loss of $6,000.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 10.—The Flood stands about the same as yesterday, but it is much higher in the upper Valley of the Genesee.

The Strike a Failure.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The strike of the gas men is a failure. To day a number of gas men from other cities arrived at the New York Company's Works, and more of the Italians were relieved from duty. Gas holders are filling, and before the end of the week the officers say everything will be going on with old-time regularity.

It is Not a Failure.

Per contra, it is stated that the strikers hold private meetings to-night, and to-morrow night will have a mass meeting. The President of the Gas Men's Society says the organization is complete, and a general strike will be the result before a week.

A Question of Jurisdiction.

This afternoon Carl Vogt, the alleged murderer, was arrested by the United States Marshal. Affidavits in the case were made by Reisting, German Consul at this port, who maintains that the case comes within the jurisdiction of his Government.

The Goodrich Case.

Mrs. Myers remains in prison, not having furnished the required security for her appearance as witness in the Goodrich case. The Inquest will be resumed to-morrow evening, when a verdict will be probably reached.

In Contumaciam.

ALBANY, April 10.—In the Assembly to-night a resolution was adopted to arrest and bring before the bar of the House William M. Tweed, Jay Gould and J. B. Dutcher for refusing to appear and testify before the Erie Investigation Committee.

A Presentation.

ALBANY, April 11.—Vice-President Wilson visited the Senate to-day when a recess was taken and the Senators were formally presented to him.

A Correspondent in Limbo.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Havana dispatches to the *Herald* indicate that its special correspondent, O'Kelly, now imprisoned by the Spanish at Manzanillo, is really in some danger. He was arrested on the first instant. He was not permitted to communicate with any one till the 6th instant. He then sent the following message to Ramsdale, British Consul at Santiago: "I am a prisoner here since the last day of March. I request English and American consuls to have me taken to Havana. It will be impossible for me to defend myself properly here. Have representations made to London and Madrid to-day. My papers were examined, and proceedings before a military court has already been commenced against me." The Captain General has ordered O'Kelly to be sent to Santiago for trial, notwithstanding the intercession of United States Consul General Tucker, who, at the prisoner's request, asked that he be brought to Havana.

More about the Postal Cars.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The Postal Car Committee to-day heard an argument by T. Cuyler of Philadelphia. He held that Government had no more constitutional rights to force railway companies to perform services for nothing or an unsatisfactory compensation than it had to take a citizen's residence and turn it into a postoffice. He denied the power of Congress to fix the compensation for carrying matter.

Some Brilliant Detectives.

While the English detectives now here in the Bank of England forgery case were seeing the city the other night, one of them was robbed of his watch and pocketbook, and the papers for the extradition of Bidwell of Havana. The papers have been returned.

Brigham Young's Position—Mormonism Generally.

Brigham Young telegraphs to a newspaper in this city that his resignation as Trustee for the Church and as President of banking institutions does not affect his position as President of the Church, in which capacity he will still exercise supervision over business ecclesiastical and secular, leaving details, however, to younger men. He says the institutions of Utah are well established, and speaks warmly of its material condition.

The Mormons intend establishing settlements in Arizona, and influencing the Apaches to peace. In the meantime they invite all good citizens to Utah, where property is less taxed and better protected than elsewhere in the United States.

Stock Operations.

NEW YORK, April 11.—Business is generally suspended in Wall street to-day, the Stock and Gold Exchange being closed. Both institutions inflict penalties upon members for dealing when they are closed; hence there are no street operations.

Deny the Soft Impeachment.

ALBANY, April 11.—The Senators reported as having received $6,000 each for voting against the pro rata freight bill deny allegation and ask to appear before the Assembly Investigating Committee.

The Strikers Strike their Colors.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The gasmen strike their colors to-day and ask to be re-employed at the old hours and wages.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Spanish Affairs.

BAYONNE, April 10.—Carlists continue to bombard the town of Pulgerieda. Relief for that garrison has been sent from Gerona.

General Camanos has beaten a band of Carlists under Saliva.

Golonmiro, at the head of a considerable force of insurgents, has levied a contribution of ten thousand francs on Villa Franca, and demands its immediate payment by the municipality, threatening the town with the fate of Berga if the money be not forthcoming. The place is being well defended and the authorities refuse to yield.

Articles for Exhibition at Vienna.

TRIESTE, April 10.—The U. S. steamer *Brooklyn* arrived to-day with storeship *Supply* in tow. The *Supply* brings American contributions to the Vienna exhibition.

CANADA.

OTTAWA, Ontario, April 10.—In the Dominion Parliament last night the vote by-ballot bill passed to its second reading by 26 majority.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

A Fearful Earthquake.

ASPINWALL, via HAVANA, April 10.—The city of San Salvador, Central America, has been destroyed by an earthquake. Eight hundred persons perished and twelve millions of dollars worth of property were destroyed. The earthquake was followed by an extensive conflagration. Many valuable buildings were burned. For a few days slight shocks of an earthquake had occurred. No serious apprehensions being entertained, on the afternoon of the 4th, almost without warning, great part of the city was reduced to ruins. The ground heaved like a ship in a gale. A terrific thundering burst from under foot, walls tottered and were rent in many places with wide crevices, roofs sank to the ground. Three violent shocks followed in succession. Servants commenced to scream piteously and could not be pacified. Wild birds flew to the houses. Horses grew frantic in the stables. Dogs howling, slunk for protection. Every few minutes shakings of less violence occurred. The scene beggars description—ruined houses and panic-stricken people. Men, women and children fled to the fields with their valuables hastily collected. Then followed ringing of alarm bells and beating of drums, calling all soldiers under arms, for in San Salvador murder and pillage accompany the confusion of a great earthquake. Frightened citizens leave town, and Indians from the forests prowl into it for prey, and are only checked by the bayonets of government troops, who are posted in squads at short distances all over the city.

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—At an early hour this morning John Kennedy, residing on Clementina street, attacked his wife with an axe, inflicting terrible and perhaps fatal wounds. He next assailed his daughter, aged about thirteen years, with the same deadly purpose, and wounded her terribly; then, going to a bed-room in the second story of the house, he fastened a rope around his neck, secured one end to the knob of a door and at [illegible] breaking his neck and causing instant death. He had been drinking to excess for some time past, and it is thought the fearful tragedy was the result of temporary insanity.

Much interest is manifested in the race to come off at Oakland to-morrow, between Elmo and Ajax. The former is the favorite in the pools, which were selling last night as follows: Elmo, 35; Ajax, 17½.

Laura D. Fair and another woman have leased the old armory headquarters, corner of Market and Third streets, for the purpose of keeping a lodging house.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Henry Yantez shot himself through the heart this evening on Second street and instantly died. He leaves a widow and two children.

Two men were killed by an explosion during the fire at the new gas works this afternoon.

The State Sunday School Convention will meet April 22d in the New Presbyterian Tabernacle and continue two days and evenings. A large number of the best speakers in the State will address the Convention. Rev. Robert Patterson of Chicago, and Wm. N. Meserve, of Connecticut, will also participate, both being eminent Sunday school men. Delegates from the country will be entertained by their friends and co-workers here.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Henry Gantz committed suicide here this evening, by shooting himself through the head with a pistol.

One of the retorts in the Metropolitan Gas Works exploded this evening, seriously, perhaps fatally, burning three of the workmen, and injuring several others less seriously. Their names have not been ascertained.

The case of John Samuel, who shot Marchant yesterday, was partially examined in Police Court this afternoon and continued till Tuesday next.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—The report that two men were killed at the Metropolitan gas works, Potrero, this evening, was premature. One of the retorts exploded seriously burning three of the workmen. No serious damage was done to the works.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—A Chinaman attacked another on Jackson street to-night with a hatchet, inflicting a terrible wound on his head. The man who attempted the murder was arrested. It is stated that Ah Kew, the wounded man, is a hired assassin employed to kill the man who struck him. In the city prison a large knife and pistol charged to the muzzle with leaden slugs were found concealed in his clothing.

Mr. Eldridge one of the trustees of Mills Seminary denies the truth of the report that Marchant visited the daughter of Samuel, at that institution, and says that the letters sent by deceased to her were intercepted.

INTERIOR CALIFORNIA DISPATCHES.

PETALUMA, April 11.—Mrs. Frank Bray of this place while riding out yesterday met with a serious accident four miles from town. A young man was driving when some portion of the seat gave way, precipitating him to the ground. Losing his hold of the reins, the horse ran. Mrs. Bray attempted to stop him and was thrown out violently striking her head against a fence, producing a scalp wound and severely bruising her otherwise.

LOS ANGELES, April 11.—The case of Cage, indicted for killing a sheep herder a year and a half ago, occupied the time of the District Court several days. The jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder. The prisoner is quite young. Counsel will endeavor to procure a new trial.

In the County Court Judge Sylvester overruled demurrer to complaint in libel suit against W. Jeff Gatewood of the San Diego *World*, instituted by Judge Widney. Defendant pleads not guilty. The case is continued for the term.

IONE CITY, April 11.—Epizootic has appeared in mild form. Over twenty cases are reported. No fatal cases heard of yet.

Grain is not doing well for want of rain.

WOODLAND, April 11.—James L. Carrico, an old citizen of this place, was found dead in a livery stable this morning. Verdict—death from heart disease.

SAN LEANDRO, April 11.—Young Oliphant, who was run over by an engine, at this place, last evening, died at 9 o'clock last night. Verdict—accidental death.

VALLEJO, April 11.—Commodore Wyman, U. S. N., President of the Bogart court martial, arrived this morning, and was received at the Navy Yard with the usual salute.

STOCKTON, April 11.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the County Clerk's office of a paper manufacturing Company. Capital stock, $300,000.

A telegraphic report published some days since stated that the Roberts family, formerly of this county, had been murdered by the Modoc Indians. A letter from Mr. Roberts, dated April 4th, says his family are all well.

A large number of horses in the vicinity of Merced and Mariposa are affected with the epizootic.

THE MODOC WAR.

YREKA, April 11.—The following is from the Yreka *Journal* extra of this evening:

HEADQUARTERS LAVA BED, April 8.—The situation is unchanged. No talk to-day with the Modocs. They say one of their warriors died, which is a blind. Riddle's wife is much abused for letting out their plan of capturing the Commissioners and Generals, and returned disgusted and with no hope of peaceful settlement. The move of Mason's troops in close proximity to the Modoc camp may greatly retard negotiations. I do not think peace will be made at present, though many are hopeful of a favorable result. The Modocs do not intend leaving the place unless taken away by force. Yesterday some of Colonel Mason's men drove in some Indian ponies, but were ordered by General Gillem, as soon as he heard of it, to drive them outside of the lines.

April 10th.—Jack sent Boston in yesterday for a talk. Perhaps he wants to surrender, as that is what Boston said Jack had to say, which Schonchin and John would not agree to. He may mean to surrender, in spite of Schonchin. Riddle's wife will go in to-day to arrange another talk. This will doubtless be the last effort, and if nothing is done, General Gillem will settle the matter. This week will probably close negotiations as to whether it will be war or peace. We expect orders every hour for camp to advance to the first bluff, and that move will surely bring on a fight. Peace cannot be made unless the Indians are given Cottonwood and Hot Creek. Whether the Commissioners will do this or not remains to be seen. Weather cold and windy.

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A "Corner" that was Spoiled

The *Herald* of yesterday morning had a letter signed "TAX PAYER" intimating that the extension of time for the collection of taxes until the 30th of the present month, is the result of a combination of the members of the Common Council with the Bankers and Brokers, to create a "corner" in city warrants. The letter with its editorial introduction is as follows:

CITY TAXES.—Under this head a "Tax payer" insinuates that there is a "corner" in the Common Council and that said "ring" is run in the interest of our bankers and cent per cent sharps. He says:

Editor Herald: I am informed that there is a movement on foot to delay the collection of the city taxes until after a large number of warrants have been placed on the market, thus furnishing the Shylocks an opportunity to "skin" the city. Part of this programme was coined out at the last meeting of the Council, when an ordinance was passed extending the time for the collection of taxes until the 30th of April. I would advise those having city warrants to hold on to them, and by that means thwart the designs of the bankers and sharps who have put up this nice little job to rob those who may hold city warrants.

TAX PAYER.

To show how utterly devoid of truth is this imputation against the integrity of the Councilmen who voted for the ordinance extending the time, it is only necessary to state the facts in the case. The limit of time for the collection of taxes by the Treasurer as fixed by the ordinances heretofore existing expires to-day. Monday, all taxes on the roll remaining unpaid would become delinquent and the list of such would be placed in the hands of the Chief of Police for collection.

The extreme scarcity of money has caused the collections by the Treasurer this season to fall greatly below those of the preceding years. The time having about expired, it was found that by far the largest portion of the tax remained uncollected, and would have to be reported delinquent, unless a short extension should be granted. Many tax payers, under these circumstances, called upon the members of the Committee to ask that a few days of grace be allowed before adding costs and commissions to their already heavy burdens. Accordingly, the Committee reported an ordinance extending the time till the 30th of April—sixteen days. The Treasurer has money on hand to meet all warrants issued, and all likely to be issued, before that date. Certainly there could be no good reason urged, why the Council should distress the tax payers by urging an immediate payment when the money was not needed for immediate use. The fact that all warrants are paid on presentation, is a sufficient answer to the charge of an attempt to give sharpers an opportunity to speculate in city warrants. We should be glad to have the *Herald* give us an exact statement of the discount on a warrant which will command its face in gold coin upon presentation at the Treasurer's office?

We apprehend the real trouble with this suspicious TAX PAYER of the *Herald*, is traceable to circumstances of quite a different character from any anxiety on the score of a "corner" in city warrants. The Treasurer informs us that the amount of taxes remaining unpaid at this time is nearly $70,000, and that allowing all probable collections before Monday, the amount delinquent on that day will exceed $60,000. A delinquent list of such magnitude would be an unprecedented thing in the city of Portland. It would be more than this, it would be an exceedingly nice plum for certain individuals, and institutions to suck, in these hard times. In the first place the *Herald* being the litigant organ, would get a very extensive and fat job in the way of advertising the delinquent tax-payers, of the fact that the Chief of Police was after them and would on a certain specified day expose their property to sale by public vendue. Then the Chief of Police would have a fee of five per cent. commission, amounting to the snug little sum of $3,000, for collecting. To this we may add the fees for the distraint, posting notices, &c.—probably nearly three thousand more. Is not this a handsome plum, now for the litigant organ and Chief of Police.

Who is the Chief of Police and who are interested in the litigant organ? The *Herald* is the litigant organ, the Chief of Police is one of the principal owners of the *Herald*, and the President of the Board of Police Commissioners, under whom the Chief holds his position and who can remove him at pleasure, is also a principal owner of the *Herald*, and President of the *Herald* corporation. He is also a member of the Common Council and the only member who opposed this extension to the end of the month. We do not say his action in the premises was influenced by his interest in the matter being voted upon, albeit, some who pretend to be well acquainted with his peculiarities of expression think him the veritable "TAX-PAYER;" but we simply desire to suggest whether in view of the peculiar relations of the parties to each other and to the litigant organ, it is not at least possible that this outcry about a "corner" arises from mortification and disappointment because a very neat little "corner," with a pool of $5,000 or $6,000 in it, was prevented by the ordinance of extension, and whether the *Herald's* attack upon the Council may not be explained by a single word—*dividends*?

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The New York *Herald's* Berlin correspondent, giving an account of the discussion in the Prussian Diet of the amendments to the constitution, on the 10th of March says: The most important speech was the one by Prince Bismarck, who boldly charged the peers with inconsequence and stubbornness, though it is well known that he alone caused their disorganization and discomfiture, and that, finally, when he could not break down their resistance to the reform of district administration, he had recourse to the creation of the new liberal peers. In adopting this draconic measure some months ago the Bismarck Ministry undoubtedly foresaw that without it they would stand before another deadlock in the present movement for the reform of the relations between Church and State. The Prince's speech yesterday must be considered in the light of an expression of the intentions of the Prussian Government. Though not the Premier he is still the strongest man in the Cabinet, and words from him bear a far different import than would the same coming from the mouth of Von Roon.

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With the exception of the dire [illegible] earthquake, by which the town of Antioch, in Asia Minor, was destroyed a year ago there has not for years been any such a terrible destruction of life and property by that cause, as that reported in this morning's dispatches to have occurred at San Salvador in Central America.

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The Report of the Proceedings of the Farmers' State Convention occupies so much space this morning, as to exclude a considerable amount of other matter. We are satisfied, however, that it excludes nothing so important as itself.

FARMERS' CONVENTION.

First Annual Meeting of the Farmers of Oregon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

SALEM, Thursday, April 10, 1873.

The Chair appointed as Committee on Permanent Organization: Messrs. C. P. Burkhart, of Linn, S. W. Davenport, of Marion, Thos. Edwards, of Lane, Jesse Stump, of Polk, W. Galloway, of Yamhill, G. Maxwell, of Columbia, and J. Hartless, of Benton.

Mr. J. H. Upton moved that invitations be extended to the reporters to take seats within the bar. Carried.

The reading of the address to the farmers of Oregon calling for a Convention was called for.

The address having been read Mr. C. L. Moore, of Linn, said:

I have a resolution to submit for discussion which I will read.

He read the resolution, which is as follows:

Resolved, That the object of this Convention is to express the sentiment of the farmers of Oregon, by resolution, upon the various interests.

A motion was made to adopt the resolution and carried, just as Mr. Moore was preparing to address the Convention. Considerable merriment was occasioned by the summary disposition of the resolution.

Mr. John H. Smith moved to reconsider the motion to adopt, in order to afford Mr. Moore an opportunity to explain the resolution. Carried.

Mr. Minto said that the Convention was proceeding rather hastily. He did not like the idea of going forward, backing water, and then going forward again. If I rightly understand the object of this Convention, said Mr. Minto, we have met here to talk over and discuss the interests of the farmers of the State of Oregon. In doing this let us be calm and temperate, taking no hasty action. In order to a proper understanding of the purposes of the present meeting, I would ask the President to state the objects contemplated by the address.

President Wilkins—As I understand it, the object of the present assembly is to effect a permanent organization, to appoint a State Board if need be, and chiefly, to devise means for the disposal of our produce. Those who issued the call had in mind, for one thing, the erecting of warehouses by the farmers, at convenient points along the lines of transportation. We are met to discuss and decide upon plans, and also to take steps toward putting those plans in operation.

Mr. Moore—Mr. President, I offered this resolution simply as a theme for debate. I hope that it will be amended, if necessary, so as to express the sentiments of this body. It does not seem to be very well understood—just what we are met for. This resolution was not intended to be a perfect expression of the will of this body. I simply desire to elicit discussion from the delegates in order to gain information.

Joseph Watt—This is the first time, sir, that I have ever sat in a convention of this nature. I think that we should try in everything we may do and say to advance the best interests of the farming community. We are met to discuss the best means for disposing of our produce, such as wool, farm and garden products, etc. In all that is done let us keep the one grand aim in view—the most practicable means for advancing the material interests of the farmer. I, for one, am greatly interested in the wool question, and of course I am anxious to dispose of this product to the very best advantage. All the farmers of this State look to this Convention for enlightenment on this and kindred subjects.

Mr. Moore—I desire to hear a full expression of opinion on the subject of shipping wheat to foreign ports. I also wish to become acquainted with some feasible plan for storing grain. And I want to know, too, what course we should take to sustain the opposition boats now on the river, which have already put freights down lower than they ever have been before. I have my views on this subject. I think this line of steamers should be encouraged by all honorable means. Other men may take different views. Now, so far as I am concerned, I have no objection to the formation of a State Board, or, I may say, to a Convention regularly organized. But I could not say that my constituency is in favor of such a Board. There is a feeling among many—perhaps among all—that our produce has been controlled by men along the river and railroads. In years gone by, we have seen this to be the case. Our products have gone into the hands of other men, and have been shipped by them to Liverpool before ever a cent was paid on them to us. We want this thing changed. How shall it be done? We have seen our grains go into warehouses, from which they have been sent off before they were purchased. This has been done by the hired agents of speculators,—not merely one or two, but any number of conspirators who have among them contrived to keep prices down. And I am free to say that they have managed with ability and skill. Now we are met to consult as to the best quality of grain, the best mode of seeding, and cutting, as well as to the best kinds and grades of stock, etc. I hope to hear these things fully discussed.

Mr. Smith—I am somewhat in the situation of many others. I think that in the various county clubs we have, as it were, commenced to build an animal from the tail forward, and now we are to put a head to that animal. We met in the Farmers' Clubs to discuss modes of farming, kinds and grades of stock, and various kindred subjects which came in incidentally. Among other things, the enormous burdens of freight, commission, wharfage, cartage, and wastage, occupied our attention. All these fetter our energies, restrain our efforts, check the growth of our young State, and in a thousand ways work injury to us. Here we meet to know each other better, to learn to love each other more,—in fine, to labor for our mutual benefit. I understand that in an organization of this kind, there is nothing, there can be nothing, binding on any member. We are not a corporation,—we are but an association convened to devise ways and means to better our condition. In the Farmers' Clubs we organized and did some work. We are now come to the seat of government, and it is expected of us that we shall do something. It has been said that when the farmers meet in this hall, (House of Representatives), there is probably more honesty than has met here for some time. And it might be said, moreover, (without disparaging our honorable Legislatures) that there is fully as much brain. We have work before us. And it is important work. For instance, we are to arrange a basis of representation for the County Conventions. These latter should be thoroughly organized. Then we are to send up our delegates to the State Convention. This will require some planning. I have an idea of my own, out of which we may be able to get a feasible plan of operation. I would suggest that our State Conventions be held during the State Fair. That is a kind of gala day for the farmers, their wives and their children. We should next organize a Central Committee—a kind of supervisory Board, who shall look after the interests of the farmer in all things. I would also suggest that this Board advise with the editor of the *Farmer*. That is the agriculturists' paper. Every farmer should support and encourage it.

I have thus hastily sketched what seem to be to be the leading points in a correct policy. In due time I will submit them in the form of resolutions.

Mr. Moore called upon Mr. Philip Lowe to address the Convention.

Mr. Lowe—I hardly know how to commence on this subject. It has been said that I have a hobby, and it is that Astoria is the natural seaport of Oregon. Now if you will examine the map you will notice that Astoria holds the same relation to Oregon that New York bears to the Atlantic coast. But the ways in which grains are handled, in seeking the world's markets are very different in the cases of the two seaports. By the aid of the locks, our wheat is not now handled at Oregon City, and I cannot for the life of me see why it should stop, on its way to the sea, to change hands at Portland. But before our wheat has started on its voyage we find that the ship takes a part of its cargo in at Portland, a part at the mouth of the Wallamet, and another part at Columbia City. Sometimes, moreover, they take on wheat at Rainier. Now, I would like to know why the sailing vessels can not take on all their wheat cargo at Astoria at once, and thus put an end to all these expense of towage and lighterage. We find that Ben Holladay has built, at Astoria, a warehouse capable of holding from 60 000 to 80 000 bushels, perhaps. If this will pay Ben Holladay why will not warehouses at Astoria pay the farmer? The fact is, our wheat is handled too much, and the farmers of Oregon have to support three or four bummers between Portland and Astoria. They have the capital of this coast to fight. Now about the Columbia river bar. I am told, on good authority, that the South channel at the mouth of the Columbia is about two miles wide, while the danger one part is only one half mile long. There is sufficient room for any vessel, in ordinary weather, to tack in. But I have other reasons for believing that Astoria is our natural seaport.

Here Mr. Lowe was called to order, and the Chairman stated that he would be pleased to have delegates speak briefly and to the point.

Mr. Minto.—Mr. Chairman, I think I am prepared to vote on this question. And it seems to me it would hardly be advisable to continue this discussion. We will have to go over the same ground in the debate on resolutions.

Mr. ——— moved to take a recess until 4:30 o'clock. Lost.

Mr. Moore moved that a committee of five on resolutions be appointed by the Chair.

Mr. Galloway moved to amend by making the committee to consist of one delegate from each county represented.

The amendment was accepted and the motion carried.

The delegations nominated the following names which were confirmed by the President: C. L. Moore, J. H. Upton, J. H. Smith, John Minto, M. B. Gay, Wm. Ruble.

Mr. Jno. H. Smith.—Mr. President, I feel the responsibility of the position to which I have been assigned. On these resolutions depends the success of the Convention. As far as I am concerned, I feel that it will be impossible to prepare a series of resolutions embodying the spirit of this Convention in an hour or two. I shall ask that the committee be allowed until to-morrow morning to report.

Mr. Minto—I want to hear from Astoria. It is very plain that the object of this Convention is to devise some means by which transportation to and from Oregon can be cheapened. We will have to fight Portland, although, as a citizen of Oregon, I do not wish to do this in any unfriendly spirit. I would be pleased to hear from Colonel Taylor and Mr. T. P. Powers, of Astoria, on the advisability of organizing a new line of river craft. I want to say that I have never advocated the formation of a farmers' transportation line. I have not yet seen the figures to support it.

The committee was granted leave of absence until 7 o'clock this evening.

The President announced a communication from Superintendent W. H. Watkinds, of the *Oregon Penitentiary*, inviting the Convention to visit his institution, in a body or individually, at any time they might choose.

Mr. Galloway—As the farmers are the taxpayers, and as they should know something about the management of our public institutions, I move the invitation be accepted.

The motion was carried.

Daniel Clark moved that the Convention visit the Penitentiary in a body at ten o'clock to-morrow morning, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Davenport—The Committee on Constitution and By Laws are prepared to submit their report.

The report was received and read:

REPORT.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the subject of a Constitution, beg leave to report that we have adjourned until to-morrow morning, and suggest that the Convention discuss this afternoon the following: Shall the farmers of this state organize for the purpose of building wharves, warehouses, or steamboats, and engage in the business of transportation, or shall they seek mitigation of their present condition by taking advantage of the *present circumstances*, to obtain a reduction of freights, and also as to what methods we shall adopt to avoid the unnecessary expenses entailed upon productions in the too frequent handling by those between the producer and consumer.

S. T. CRAWFORD,
Chairman.

Mr. Davenport—In behalf of the committee, I wish to make a statement. It is not a difficult matter to draft a Constitution, when the objects of an association are well understood. But in this instance, your committee were not informed as to the ideas and designs of this body. This is the method we have adopted for gaining such information. One thing is evident. Somewhere in the machinery of our Society something is going wrong. There is dissatisfaction and complaint. The farmers everywhere are rising up and demanding redress for great wrong. That is about all we know. Now as to the means to be employed in redressing this grievance of burdensome freight tariffs. My own impression is that we are not yet ready to go into the business of transportation. I would rather advise that we seek to amend the conditions under which we suffer by some more practicable means.

Mr. Galloway—I believe it is the duty of the farmers to extend a helping hand to the river opposition. The men who are interested in that line are our friends and we should respond to their sympathy for us. I am convinced that we will not long suffer as we have suffered in the past, if the farmers will only support those who are now trying to break up the tyranny of which we complain.

Daniel Clarke—The object of the farmers in thus meeting together, is to better their condition. It is to be attributed to the present general depression in the money market. If money were as plenty as it was eighteen months ago, there would be no such movement as this. The farmers of Oregon see and appreciate the fact that they have been fleeced. I apprehend that the present session of this Convention will be productive of much good, if the Convention is careful not to go too fast. Now, I say this: if we can use to the best advantage the facilities now at our command, we can do better than we possibly could do by building. As has been said before, so I say—that I am opposed to destroying, to tearing down. I do not mean to say a word against any place. I do not mean to say a word against Portland. But I believe that we should all throw our mite towards securing outside transportation, in order that Oregon may no longer be tributary to California. If the farmers can they should build up manufactories in their midst for the production of such articles as are consumed in their midst. In this way they can do more than by building steamboats and launching out on a new world unknown to them.

Mr. Hartless said that if the same course was pursued in the future as has been pursued during the past three years, at the end of three years there not one farmer in five will own a farm. I only want to say, gentlemen, that whenever you crush the farmer you crush the backbone and stay of the nation. We are freemen, and we have a right to speak. And we have, moreover, a right to be heard. The unscrupulous speculators, the rings, and all the merciless dealers who are willing to take advantage of the farmers' necessities in order to turn a dishonest penny,—these have no regard for us. They would take our last dollar,—would exterminate us, root and branch. And I tell you they came near doing this during the past year. In conclusion, let me say that I believe you can accomplish nothing by instructing each club to build a warehouse for itself.

Mr. Davenport—I understand that an attempt is made here to build up Astoria at the expense of Portland. Now I have no fears as to the result of such an effort. I am told that Astoria is a place not much, if it be any, larger than Silverton, while Portland is to the 100 000 population of Oregon, a greater metropolis than New York city is to the State of New York. It is, I take it, almost a truism, that in order to give us the greatest benefit, the vessels which are to load with wheat for foreign ports must come hither laden with some kind of a cargo. Now, just so long as Portland furnishes a depot for such cargoes while Astoria does not, just so long will Portland maintain her supremacy. Hence, I say that until Astoria can furnish a market for these cargoes of merchandise which must come in order to give us the most favorable rates of freight, it will be useless for Astoria to pretend to compete with the city which can furnish such a market. Then why, I ask, should we build wharves, docks and warehouses at Astoria? I am not saying this in the interest of any man or set of men. I have no antipathy or hatred for Portland or Astoria. I desire the special interest of no man or section except the farmers and the farming community. We must have direct commercial intercourse with England. Astoria cannot furnish this, for so long as the merchants of Portland will ship cargoes direct from English or other foreign ports, so long will vessels go past Astoria to Portland. This is inevitable. So it seems to me, looking at the practical concerns of life, taking things as we find them, and not as we would have them. Then I would say to Col. Taylor, or any representative of Astoria's interests, "build your warehouses, *and if it is to our interest we will go down there with our grains*." Now all this talk about monopolies and monopolists which we have heard here this afternoon with me goes in at one ear and out at the other. It is to the interest of the producer to raise the price of commodities, it is to the interest of the consumer to beat down the price. There is little difference among men in this regard. But farmers generally are unsuspicious. Their habits of life teach them to be so. They are also charitable and benevolent. It is because these things are so that the producing class are so easily imposed upon. But I rejoice to see an awakening.

Now, much has been said about the new transportation company organized by Teal and Goldsmith. Concerning this matter I wish to say this: these gentlemen have, as I understand, offered to transport your wheat from Corvallis to Portland for seven cents per bushel, and from Salem to Portland for five cents per bushel. Now, I am puzzled to know why this contract is not closed immediately. Do you expect freights to go below this figure? They may do so, but do you think it prudent to risk the chance? Now, if we are in earnest, let us close that contract. That's business. But suppose we do not close this contract. Are we going to let these rival corporations buck against each other until they buck themselves to death? I will speak of one other matter and then close. It has been well said that we must encourage manufactures in our midst. Great Britain is growing wealthy by manufactures, while you are growing poverty stricken by tilling the soil.

These Conventions are of great value. All power must originate with the masses. And I anticipate the time when the State Geologist shall send word to your Clubs and county organizations that on days certain he will meet with you to talk about the formations of your land, and instruct you in the great science of Geology. From the chemists, too, I shall expect to hear good words. And in all these directions the skilled labor of the artisan and the farmer shall combine to build up and perpetuate the prosperity of our commonwealth and the individual independence of the farmer.

Philip Lowe called upon Col. Taylor to address the Convention. That gentleman took the floor, and in a half hour's speech advocated the claims of Astoria to be considered the commercial entrepot of Oregon.

At the conclusion of Colonel T.'s remarks the Convention adjourned to 7 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

The Convention was called to order.

The Committee on Resolutions asked and obtained 30 minutes further time.

In the interim, Mr. Hartless took the floor. He said:

Mr. President—We have heard much to-day about the claims of Astoria as a rival of Portland. This story of Astoria—ah! I have heard it for twenty-five years. It has always been "Astoria is to supersede Portland as the commercial metropolis of Oregon." Dr. White said so, Holman said so, Beers said so, and it is still said "Astoria is to supersede Portland." Now, I have no prejudice against any city. I say that the ship which will come into the river and offer to carry our wheat the cheapest—that is our ship; the city which will buy or store our grains the cheapest—that is our city, and I care not whether that city be Portland or Astoria.

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Resolutions, presented the following report, which was read:

WHEREAS, The practice of the farmers of Oregon in storing their grain in the warehouses of millers and grain dealers has resulted in placing the power of setting the prices, to a great extent, within the control of the buyer, and—

WHEREAS, The present system of transportation of freights upon the Columbia and Willamette rivers is unnecessarily tedious and expensive—

Resolved, That we strongly advise that farmers keep absolute control of their own products until sold, in order to keep themselves free from conditional engagements with middlemen.

Resolved, That it is manifestly the interest of the farmers of the Willamette and the Columbia river valleys to combine and build warehouses at convenient points along the railroad and navigable streams for the purpose of storing their products, and sell said products direct to the shipper or consumer so as to avoid the extortion of middlemen.

Resolved, That in our opinion the construction of warehouses at Astoria will greatly facilitate the transportation of our products to foreign markets, and that it is the conviction of this body that a warehouse or warehouses at said point will meet such encouragement at the hands of the farmers of this State as will insure its success as an investment.

Mr. Maxwell addressed the Convention. He advocated the right of Columbia City to be regarded as the head of navigation. He said: I, myself, will give 600 feet. Mr. B. F. Giltner authorized me to say that at any time the farmers chose to erect a warehouse at Columbia City, he would be ready and willing to donate twenty five acres of land.

M. Minto—I wish to make a few observations on the gentleman's (Mr. Maxwell's) remarks on the subject of the claims of Columbia City. The offer of 600 feet water front may be generous enough in a private individual. But, sir, we cannot afford to take 600 miles of river front, in any but the best and most desirable place. (Applause.)

Mr. John H. Smith said: The construction of the locks at Oregon City—and I never can tire in thanking God that these works were built—is one of the grandest works within my recollection during a residence of twenty years in Oregon. It is to these locks that I look for the final emancipation of the farmer from the thraldom of monopolies. I care not from what direction our assistance comes, but I cannot, therefore, forget to be thankful for the aid when it does come. I am thoroughly convinced that by building a warehouse at Astoria, we would better our condition. I think that we could then get within a moiety of San Francisco prices for our products, for we would thereby escape the charges for towage, wastage, etc., which we now have to pay.

Mr. Hartless said: I shall vote against the proposition to build a warehouse or warehouses at Astoria. We are not prepared, we say, to recommend to the farmers of Oregon to ship their products to the world's markets, and yet we propose to build a wharf and warehouse for the people of Astoria, who have never assisted us in the least. Let us attend to our legitimate business, and let the rival points on the rivers attend to their legitimate business. If either can persuade us that they are disposed to be friendly to us—to treat us fairly, it will then be time enough to talk about encouraging them in return.

Mr. John H. Smith—We have received the kindest treatment from the business men of Portland. They are shrewd, active business men. They strive to make money. So do we. Certainly we have no good cause for complaint on that score alone. They pay for our grain as good a price as they can, perhaps. But there is this fact to be considered: When tonnage is wanted for the transportation of our grains, they telegraph to vessels to come in ballast. This is one reason that we have to pay £5 per ton, while the last ship sailed from San Francisco to Liverpool was £1 10s.

S. W. Davenport said: The rival claims of Portland and Astoria have been pretty thoroughly discussed. Pretty nearly all the arguments on the one side have been on the presumption that Astoria is the natural seaport of Oregon. Perhaps if we were called upon to express our opinion on this point singly and apart from all others, we would vote almost unanimously that Astoria is the natural seaport of Oregon. But it isn't the artificial one, it is not the practical, habitual one. If all this talk about the exceeding great superiority of Astoria over Portland be true, why is it that some far sighted citizen or citizens of Astoria have not invested five or ten thousand dollars in the improvement of such grand resources? Is it not a little bit strange, somewhat curious, that the representatives of Astoria want the farmers of Linn and other counties to collect and expend a large fund for the improvement of this vaunted commercial emporium? Gentlemen, I would say that we had better not pass any such resolution as that under consideration for the sake of buncombe. I apprehend that the resolution, if passed and repassed, would in the end be, practically, worthless and meaningless. As I said this afternoon, if ocean freights are to be reduced, the vessels which come hither must come, not in ballast, but with cargoes, and this surplus tariff must be divided on the incoming and outgoing cargoes.

Now, are you going to try to move Portland to Astoria, to transfer her wealth, her influence, and all the prestige gained by years of labor, diligence and business activity—I say do you propose to transfer all this to Astoria? Why, sirs, this is visionary. And it is because it is visionary that I do not want the farmers to promise what they cannot fulfill. I shall vote against this resolution, because I do not think we should ask our people to invest on a chance so remote.

Mr. Geer said that the delegates did not have sufficient confidence in the wisdom and feasibility of this scheme to invest their own funds. Said he: We should be very chary about recommending others to do what we would not dare to do ourselves.

J. H. Smith said: Some one has said here to-night that the freight between Urbana and Cincinnati (one hundred miles apart) is quite as high as in this State for the same distance. They tell us that the tariff on wheat is 22 cents per bushel. It is also said that we should not complain, because we suffer no more than the people of Ohio. If the gentleman who made this assertion has read the papers at all, he must certainly know that in some of the Western States the farmers are in a state of open rebellion against the railroad corporations; that they are banded together for mutual protection and defense, and are pursuing their persecutors through the Courts. They complain, as we complain, of high freights, only they adopt more violent means for the redress of their grievances.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Anderson, Davis, Layton, Crawford, Baber, Finlayson, Wheeler, Smith, Vernon, Edwards, Gay, Moore, Davis, Minto, Jo. Smith, Grim, Allen, Lowsund, Stump, Brown, W. C. Taton, McNary, Clark, Bluches, Simpson.

Nays—McCulloch, Haley, Potter, Edwards, Carter, Miller, Hartless, Davenport, Geer, Matthews, Udell, Hibbard, Babcock, Hewitt, Galloway, Martin, Carrey, D. B. Crawford, Laughlin, Pitman, Watts.

On motion, the Convention adjourned to 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Second Day.

FRIDAY, April 11, 1873.

The Convention was called to order by the President at 8 A. M.

Mr. Moore introduced a resolution reciting that whereas, it is understood that the Astoria wharf resolution will be reconsidered, it is resolved that the time of each speaker shall be restricted to ten minutes, which was adopted.

Mr. Minto offered the following preamble and resolution:

WHEREAS, There has been continued complaints made by masters of vessels and the merchants of our State in regard to the manner in which the parties who have contracted with the State to place a tug-boat on the bar of the Columbia river, have not fulfilled the said contract and in consequence of the reported failure of said parties to faithfully perform their contract, the commercial and transportation interests of the State have been damaged to a great extent—therefore

Resolved, That this Convention respectfully ask the Governor of Oregon to examine into the matter and see that the law of the contract is faithfully fulfilled by the contracting parties.

The resolution was referred to a committee of three.

Mr. John H. Smith introduced the following resolution, which was read:

Resolved, That the gratitude of the farmers of Oregon is due to the newspapers that have published communications, notices and other matter tending to the furtherance of the farmers' movement.

The resolution was laid on the table.

The series of resolutions reported by the Committee on resolutions on yesterday were taken up seriatim.

They were adopted without amendment.

Those not reported in yesterday's proceedings were as follows:

Resolved, That while we are not prepared to recommend the building of sea-going vessels by farmers, yet the construction of such vessels within our borders for the purpose of transporting our products to foreign markets deserves every encouragement from the people of Oregon.

Resolved, That while we are in favor of encouraging all legitimate means of more cheaply and expeditiously sending off exports and receiving imports, we would most emphatically recommend the encouragement of all branches of home manufactures as a means of creating a home market by the multiplication of our consuming population.

Resolved, That as we recognize the merchants of Oregon as sufferers in common with farmers when freights are subjected to unnecessary cost and delay, we therefore ask their co-operation with us in securing relief from our present system.

Resolved, That having interest in common with all skillful mechanics in the encouragement of home manufactures, we would recommend to the consideration of master mechanics the policy of using apprentice labor.

Your Committee beg leave to submit the foregoing report.
(Signed) JAMES E. MOORE,
Chairman of Committee on Resolutions.

The preamble and resolutions were adopted.

Mr. John H. Smith offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That wherever and whenever practicable it is the imperative duty of the farmers of the Willamette valley to patronize and in every honorable way to encourage the Wallamette River Transportation Company.

Mr. Minto offered the following amendment:

Strike out the words "Willamette River Transportation Company," and insert "All Competition."

The amendment was defeated.

Mr. Minto tendered the following resolution as a substitute, and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That this Convention congratulate the people of Oregon upon the opening of the Upper Willamette river to free competition in the transportation business of the Willamette and Lower Columbia Valleys, by the completion of locks at the falls of the Willamette.

Mr. J. H. Smith took the floor and in a few vigorous remarks urged upon the farming community the necessity of supporting the new company, represented by Messrs. Teal, Goldsmith, Kellogg and others. He warned delegates that unless the competing line were sustained and patronized by their influence and material support, it would languish and die. After that—what? Why, then the old company will again raise its tariffs to the former exorbitant rates, and it will make the farming, the laboring classes reimburse it for what it has lost by reason of this competition.

Mr. Smith's address was listened to with the greatest attention throughout, and at its close that gentleman received a hearty round of applause.

Mr. Minto's substitute was defeated.

The original resolution was then adopted amid considerable enthusiasm.

Mr. Minto moved the adoption of the substitute (offered by himself), as a separate resolution. The substitute was adopted as a separate resolution.

George B. Curry was invited to explain to the Convention the working of the league in Yamhill county, of which he is a member. Mr. Curry spoke at some length, after which,

Mr. Moore offered a resolution tendering the thanks of the Convention to the Willamette River Transportation Company for courtesies rendered. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Pitman tendered a resolution of thanks to the Holladay line of steamers for courtesies extended. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. J. H. Smith called up his resolution tendering thanks to the various newspapers which have advocated the cause of the farmer. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Smith introduced the following which was adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Convention be tendered to the Secretary of State, Hon. S. F. Chadwick, for the use of the hall of the House of Representatives, and for other courtesies extended by him to this Convention.

Several gentlemen spoke in terms of highest praise of the politeness and thoughtful consideration of the Secretary.

Mr. Minto moved that Gov. Grover be invited to address the Convention on the subject of pilotage at the bar of the Columbia. Carried.

The Governor responded to the invitation as follows:

Mr. President and gentlemen of the Convention: The apprehension of this Convention may be that the subject of pilotage is under the control of the Governor. I wish to correct this mistake, for it is a mistake. The Legislature of 1868, by an Act passed in October of that year, provided that a contract should be made for furnishing and operating a tug at the Columbia river bar. The act provided for a committee of three, whose members were named in the act, whose duty it was to make provision for the construction of a tug. This contract was to last five years. A subsidy was voted, which was to run through the five years. For the first year the party of the second part was to receive $12 000, for the second year, $6 000, for the third, $5,000, for the fourth, $4,000, and for the fifth, $3 000. Under this law the commission proceeded to contract with Capt. Flavel. This contract was entered into on the 4th of August, 1870. All these transactions occurred before the present administration came into office. The boat was accepted. The Senate passed a bill, but it did not pass the House. In the contract no provision of forfeiture nor mode of avoidance, no power in commission to avoid the contract, no penalty for nonexecution. There is a bond required. It has been given in $10,000 penalty, with provision that it shall be executed faithfully for five years. Though the law cannot be enforced until the expiration of five years, which will be the 4th of August, 1875. These are simple facts and you are able to make conclusions as well as I am.

On motion Secretary Chadwick was invited to address the Convention, and responded in a very appropriate manner.

And thereupon the Convention adjourned.

The Governor and the Tug Subsidy

We can not but dissent from the explanation given to the Farmers' convention, by His Excellency Governor Grover, of his relations to the matter of towing and piloting vessels at the Columbia river bar. We have no doubt that the Governor is acting up to his duty, as he sees it, in the premises, but we do not believe his view is the correct one. He says he has no duty to perform in the premises, that the law by which the subsidy was secured to the owners of the Tug boat *Astoria* placed the supervision of the whole subject in the hands of the three Commissioners created by the act. This may be technically true, but the big end of the subsidy has been swallowed up by the contractors, and now they refuse outright to recognize the binding obligation of their contract with the State, the Commissioners take no steps in the matter and the Governor stands aloof while the commerce of the country suffers from the neglect of the contractors. It is true the Commissioners ought to act promptly if the law makes them the especial guardians of that branch of the public service, but, after all, the Governor is the executive of the State and of all its laws. Though he might be hampered as to legal proceedings in case he should attempt to proceed without the Commissioners, he should stir up the Commissioners to do their duty, and he should, if possible, see that they act—or at least do his best endeavors to that end. His supervision of the affairs of the State he should not stop at the narrowest limits of his technical authority. It is the natural attribute of his office to have a general oversight of all the interests of the State. He acted upon this principle in the Modoc affair. He is neither judge nor sheriff, and had, therefore, no technical right to interfere and prevent the Modoc murderers from being rescued from justice, but he entered a manly protest against the proceeding nevertheless, not because the law directed him to protest in such cases, but because he was Governor of Oregon, and was therefore the proper person to make the protest. By using whatever means he has to cause the abuse at the mouth of the Columbia to cease, he could deserve the thanks of the whole State, and especially of the merchants and farmers.

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We beg to notify the public that all warrants for which provision was made in the late tax levy, will be paid upon presentation to the Treasurer.

Portland, April 11, 1873.

GEO. L. STORY,
J. B. CONGLE,
W. LAIR HILL,
Committee on Ways and Means

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City Tax Notice.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF Ordinance No 1325, the time for the payment of taxes assessed upon the Tax Roll for 1873 is extended until the 30th day of April, 1873.

For the convenience of mechanics and laboring men, my office will be open from 6 to 8 o'clock, P. M., every Saturday.

EDWIN D. BACKENSTOS,
Treasurer of the City of Portland.

Portland, 12 April, 1873. a12d2w

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Geo Voss, M W Fechheimer, G E Cr
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Bulger, Capt Silva, U S A, and w
man, J D Fenner, M O Nye and n
Smith, Mrs Lowell, Nathan Falk
Schulze, Alex Torges, Miss Etta
Lucas, Mr Mitchell and niece, Frank
M Smith, Rev T J O'Connor, E R
Seffons, W Cassels, James Edwards
K Gill, Mrs M J Warnock, W F Doo
Cooper, C E Bateford and wife, Jo
and wife, J T Crows and wife, N Ros
L Duzenberry, S B Woolpert, wife an
Crawford, Jno Ganter, Mrs Mattie
Wadsworth, wife and child, Mrs Flee
Newell, Mrs M Maxon, J G Lucas, W
& Co's messenger and 50 in steerage.

NEW FERRY LANDING.—Pile dri
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SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 12, 1873

CITY.

Easter Sunday.—To-morrow will be Easter Sunday, which is the festival of the resurrection of Christ, or the Christian Passover. The Eng lish name Easter, and the German Ostern, have been supposed by some writers to be derived from the name of the feast of the Teutonic goddess Ostera, (the goddess of spring,) which was celebrated by the ancient Saxons in the spring, and for which the early missionaries substituted the Christian festival. According to the Mosaic law, the Passover among the Jews was celebrated on the 14th day of the month Abib, afterwards called Nisan—that is, within a day or two before or after the vernal equinox. The early Christians differed in regard to the time of celebrating Easter. The Churches in the West taught, as they declared, by St. Phillips and St Paul, observed the nearest Sunday to the full moon of Nisan, without taking account of the day on which the passover was celebrated. The Asiatic churches, on the other hand, in accordance, as they say, with the tradition derived from St John, followed by the Jewish calendar, and adopting the 14th of Nisan as the day of the crucifixion, celebrated the festival of Easter on the 3d day following, whatever day of the week that might be. In nearly all Christian countries the recurrence of Easter has been celebrated with various ceremonies, popular sports and superstitions. Among the best known is the English custom of making presents of colored eggs, which were often elaborately ornamented. Colored eggs were used by children at Easter in a kind of game which consists in testing the strength of the egg shells, and this practice is retained in England and the United States. In commemoration of Easter, services will be held in all the Christian churches of the world to-morrow.

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New Ferry Landing.—Pile driving commenced yesterday morning, just above the old distillery, at the new ferry landing. A number of piles will be driven along on each side of the slip. The pontoon used at present, at the foot of F street, will be taken to the lower landing as soon as the piles are driven, and hereafter the railroad ferry will land there. This will save much time and vexation in effecting landings. The ferry boat can then cross back and forth on a straight line and not be compelled to perform the present circuitous route.

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Tammany's Day.—Committees have been appointed from both Multnomah and Oneonta Lodges, Improved Order of Red Men, to make the necessary arrangements for celebrating in a becoming manner Tammany's Day, which comes on the 12th of May. The event will be celebrated by an oration and other appropriate exercises.

Chinamen to the Front—Yesterday 180 Chinamen left on the Fannie Troup. Their destination is Tenino and beyond, where grading for the Northern Pacific Railroad will begin very soon. A number of Chinamen will go down this morning on the Rescue destined for several of the fisheries on the lower Columbia.

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For Sitka.—Major Rutter, who has been appointed Paymaster, U. S. A., in place of the late Major John R. Walker, arrived from the East a short time since. He will probably take passage on the steamer California, bound for Sitka, which is advertised to depart hence next week.

Coping Removed.—The coping on the stone wall surrounding the Court House block was removed yesterday, preparatory to the necessary changes which will be made to the wall to make it conform to the established grade along Fourth street.

Adjourned.—The Circuit Court adjourned on Thursday evening until this afternoon at one o'clock.

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A. B. Cooper, ex-Clerk of Marion county, John Barrows, Esq., of Albany, John H. Stone, of Boston, W. W. Moreland, of Oregon City, J. B. La Du, of Mt. Coffin, W. T., B. F. Dennison, of Olympia, were registered at the hotels last evening.

Joseph Teal, Esq., of this city, who has been East for over a month past on business connected with the purchase of two or more steamers to ply between San Francisco and Portland arrived overland at the former place a few days ago. He may be expected to arrive here very soon.

Mr. R. Jacobs, President of the Oregon City Woolen Mills, arrived here on the last steamer from a trip to the Atlantic States, whither he went some time ago to purchase new machinery for the mill. Most of the machinery is already on the way, and the first installment will soon arrive.

M. W. Fechheimer, Esq., the young attorney of this city, took his departure last evening. Dame Rumor maliciously asserts that he goes below to wed one of San Francisco's fair daughters. The Dame is probably right, for the young gentleman has not been able to deny the "soft impeachment" to his many friends without deeply blushing. He is certainly lucky in his pleadings at the Court of Hearts, and has clearly won his cause.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Picnics next.

Matinee at 2 P. M.

Gala night at the Rink.

But one arrest yesterday.

Letter list on fourth page.

Signs of spring are multiplying.

School meeting on Monday evening.

U. S. Quartermaster's clerks are busy.

Central market will be crowded to-night.

The Portland Base Ball Club practice this evening.

Numerous games of base ball will be played to-day.

Fields and gardens have assumed an emerald hue.

Eggs arriving from the country in large quantities.

A large force of men are improving Ninth street.

The Ajax will leave San Francisco for this port to-day.

Weekly Oregonian—extra good number—now ready.

Work at Richardson's brick yard will commence on Monday.

What of our boating clubs. Shall we have any matches this year?

Concert and sociable last evening at the Hall Street M. E. Church.

The roof of the new warehouse on the East Side is about half on.

A slight dust was noticeable in the streets yesterday in the forenoon.

Paul Richter is spending his spare time in fitting up his store room.

Freight for the Oriflamme yesterday was refused, she being crowded.

The ladies will show their new bonnets to-day—weather permitting of course.

Wheat for the United Kingdom is being sent to San Francisco for reshipment.

Defective portions of Nicolson pavement along First street are being repaired.

No street cars were running yesterday—track was undergoing some changes.

Front street, between Alder and Morrison, is crowded with building lumber.

The O. T. Co. has 51 vehicles, not 41, as the types made our statistical reporter say.

An up town medium is about to use the spirits as a means of converting water into whisky.

The next term of the Portland Academy and Female Seminary will begin on the 21st inst.

A sloop loaded with lumber for the O. S. N. Co., arrived on Thursday evening from Astoria.

The streets have been for the last few weeks drying and hardening, and that's some comfort.

To-morrow morning at 6 o'clock the new bell for Trinity Church will be rung for the first time.

The Baptists are said to average eighty communicants to every church in the United States.

Plumbago, or graphite, in considerable quantities, was discovered in Douglas county a short ago.

The Varuna started down to St. Helens yesterday forenoon, having the brig J. L. Foster in tow.

Bob Fulford's "Rosedale Troupe," has recently closed a brief but successful season at Stockton, California.

Captain Tom Mountain expects to have all the new uniforms for the Portland Light Battery by the 1st of May.

Children are beginning to spread themselves on the turf in the Court House square without fear of impending croup or diptheria.

Alvinza Hayward, who has millions of money and poor health, is trying the healing powers of the Harbin Springs, California.

It may be well for those disposed to grumble about the weather to remember that the season cannot be changed with a whine.

Will Landers took himself off to Coos Bay so suddenly that his friends of No. 1's had no opportunity to grasp his "bunch of fives."

A number of old stumps are being exhumed at the corner of North Front and C streets—where Flanders' new brick building is to stand.

A new floor, hat rack, and a general cleaning up has made the house of Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. a most pleasant place indeed.

A sawyer and filer, writing to us from Keithsburg, Ill., wants information regarding his prospects for work in Oregon. Will some one inform him?

A moderate runaway took place yesterday. Consequences not serious except to the wagon, which took a lively hand in the impromptu exercises.

A young lady from East Portland was overheard to remark yesterday that it was "splendid walking overhead," but there were very few walking that way.

A lady living in this vicinity, presented her liege lord, yesterday, with a trio of cherubs—two boys and a girl—weighing respectively, 12, 10½, and 4½ pounds.

Architects busy on plans for the State Capital building. Even plans are being made by Eastern architects. Bids for architectural work will be opened May 1st.

We have received cards of invitation to the ball of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, which takes place next Thursday evening at their house. We shall be there, providing, &c.

Fashionable people here have been debating the propriety of doffing heavy clothes and donning linen dusters and straw hats, but they have concluded to wait a few days.

A correspondent thinks that swinging signs should be abolished. During a strong wind storm these signs are apt to be thrown down and fatal accidents may occur, besides they are unsightly.

Rev. J. D. Eaton, pastor of the Congregational Church, has been presented with an elegant study table by the ladies of the church. The young minister has become quite popular with his charge.

The name of Mrs. Geo. W. Hillman published by mistake among the maskers who attended the carnival given by the Jolly Good Fellows on Thursday evening. That lady was not present at all.

An auroral display was witnessed a few nights ago, about half past one o'clock. A broad belt of light, several yards in width, extended from the northeastern horizon about forty-five degrees towards mid heavens.

We saw a reckless fellow yesterday, who had the bad taste to get mad and conduct himself in a shamefully profane manner, just simply because a new tile blew off into the river. Some people have none of Job's virtues.

A late San Francisco paper says: "The steamer Idaho is lying at the wharf at the foot of Steuart street, having her shaft removed preparatory to receiving a new one. This work will require some two or three weeks to complete, after which it will be decided what will be done with her. She may be sent to Portland to be used in running between that place and ports on Puget Sound, as the loss of the Ivea S. Wright has reduced the number of ships on the northern waters."

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES

Rev. H. Gans will preach in the German language to-morrow at 9½ o'clock A. M., in the basement of the Presbyterian Church, corner of Third and Washington streets.

To-morrow, being Easter Day, there will be early matin services at St. Stephen's Chapel, Madison street, near Fourth, at 6 A. M., also the usual services at 11 A. M., and at half past three P. M. Seats free.

"The Eucharist Song" will be the subject of the sermon at the Baptist Church to-morrow morning. In the evening, the pastor will discuss the topic of "Bible revision," calling attention particularly to the signal providences which resulted in giving to the world the common English version.

"What shall I then do with Jesus who is called Christ?" will be the text of discourse by J. D. Eaton at the First Congregational Church to-morrow morning. In the evening at 7 o'clock, will be held the usual monthly Sabbath School concert, consisting of music, addresses and recitations. Seats free at both services.

Religious services in the Norwegian language will be held (D. V.) in the Scandinavian Evangelical Lutheran Church, in East Portland, on Easter Sunday, April 13th, at 11 o'clock A. M., and in the English language as usual at 1 o'clock P. M. Services will be conducted by A. E. Fridrichsen, D. D. The annual meeting of the members of the church and election of the new Trustees will be postponed until the arrival of expected Lutheran friends from the East, of which due notice will be legally given.

Remember the Noon Day Prayer Meetings at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., corner of Stark and First streets, from 12½ to 1 o'clock.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON, J.

Friday, April 11, 1873

W. S. Ladd vs J. J. Hoffman and T. J. Carter; judgment for plaintiff by default.

H. C. Hill vs J. S. Keller, suit in equity; dismissed by stipulation.

St. Helens Mill Company vs F. B. Risley et al, by consent of parties judgment rendered against defendant for $355 22 coin, and each party pay their own costs.

Mary E. Barrett vs Charles Barrett et al, time extended until next term for referee to make his report by consent of defendants, on payment of costs by plaintiff.

Joseph Knott vs H. L. Pittock, cause being argued.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

Thursday, April 10, 1873

United States vs W. D. Pige, motion for new trial denied, sentenced to pay $1,000, and imprisoned in the county jail for six months.

Thomas Conroy vs Grace Telfair; argument on exceptions to amended libel.

W. P. Abrams et al vs brig Augusta, motion to set aside decree that exceptions to amended answer be taken pro confesso allowed on payment of costs of this motion, and $10 to adverse party, and hearing upon exceptions to amended answer set for Tuesday next.

Adjourned to Tuesday next.

AMUSEMENTS

The Committee of Arrangements appointed by the City Rifles have determined to hold a grand promenade concert and ball on Thursday evening, 17th inst., for the benefit of that company.

A limited audience was in attendance last evening at Oro Fino Theater, on the occasion of Mr. Crosbie's benefit. An excellent programme was offered, and rendered in a very acceptable manner. This evening will positively be the last appearance of the company.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Some complain of dull times but the rush to Miss Jennie Macnamara's this week led us to believe to the contrary. Those ladies who have not selected a spring style of bonnet or hat will find a splendid assortment at Miss Macnamara's parlors. Note the new advertisement.

Messrs. Currier & Co. have resumed business at No. 73, First street. The large room has been filled with an entire new stock purchased recently by the senior member of the firm in New York and new as well as old patrons of this house may rest assured of finding the very latest style in clothing, hats and gentlemen's furnishing goods at Currier & Co's. See advertisement.

Mr. Thomas Gay, a sail maker at Portsmouth, N. H., formerly acting master of the picket boat commanded by Lieutenant Cushing, gets $24,000 as his share of the prize money awarded by Congress for the destruction of the Confederate ram Albemarle.

"Permit me," said an eminent Senator to a stranger the other day, "to introduce you to the authoress of the world." "I beg your pardon," cried the witty Miss Grundy (Miss Snead), "I do not care to have myself designated as the wife of Adams."

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Give Him His Reward.

Portland, April 11th, 1873.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

In the Bulletin of the 8th inst., is an extract of a letter from B. F. Dowell to the Jacksonville Sentinel, headed, "Why it was done," that needs a passing notice. I do not propose to enter into a discussion, at this time, as to whether the subject of that extract has been a consistent Republican or not. Or whether his consistency would favorably compare with that of B. F. Dowell and others, who of late have become the guardians of the Republican party and its principles. That will be done when the necessity arises.

I wish simply to say, that B. F. Dowell ought to be given some Post Office as a reward of merit for his labors in organizing and building up the Republican party. He is one of those progressive Republicans who said the "Union men ought to have their throats cut," for rushing to the defense of their country, when all that is dear to the American people was in jeopardy. I believe, however, he wants to go to Congress. He wants his musical voice to be heard in the Councils of the Nation. I think we will send him. He not only merits it on account of his patriotism when the war broke out, but for the part he is reputed to have taken in concocting that bogus letter scheme at Salem, by which Mr Walker of Jackson was deceived into casting a vote—only one—for J. H. Mitchell. There are some other things of a meritorious character that will be made public, when he is before the Convention for congressional honors. W. B.

A Queer Story.—A queer story is told of two prosperous merchants in West Broadway. One of them was married, rather late in life, some two years ago, and, after he and his wife had gone to house-keeping, he invited his fellow merchant to pay them a visit. The latter went, and was much pleased with the new wife, who appeared to be very young. They grew to be firm friends. He told her he could not resist the conviction that he had seen her before, at which she laughed, and said that was the impression obtained from all sympathetic natures. Their cordial relations continued for a good while, and one day the mercantile admirer received a letter from an intimate friend in Boston, informing him that his friend had, some time before, married an eccentric woman, Mrs. ——, who had the reputation of being several times divorced. This set the admirer to thinking and tracing out circumstances within his knowledge. The result was, he discoverd beyond question that Mrs. ——, the wife of his friend, had, seven years before, been his own wife, from whom he had obtained a legal divorce on good and sufficient reason, six months after their union. Anxious to corroborate this, he went to Mrs. ——, and asked her if it was not so. She replied in the affirmative, and without hesitation, added that she recognized him from the first, but did not care to impart any information he did not himself possess. She had been literally in the divorce business, having had no less than seven lieges in twelve years. She understood the art of making herself look young, and at five and thirty she did not appear more than five and twenty. It was the art that had deceived the friend, and caused him to regard her as somebody else than her real self.

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On the Threshold

BY KATE PUTNAM OSGOOD

"How long you are late this morning!" Josiah has milked the cows;
You can see 'em now in the pasture there, already turned out to browse,
Knee-deep in the heading clover that runs to the brook below.
Aha! my little sister, boy, I mind how long ago
I used to carry you over the field and up the hill [illegible] there;
And [illegible] you would trip along in the [illegible] of the dewy mat.

Since that you [illegible] the [illegible]
Ah! me, my boy, a many things have come to pass since then.

For some are married and gone away, and some are gone and dead;
But what is this for, lately, they try to put in my head?
Hey, Ben! are you still in stranger ground, about down in the [illegible]?
A likelier tale they take to cheat the old man out of his sight;

Your father is dead—yes, John is dead—I [illegible] that, I make no doubt;
Almost I seem to remember the day he was carried out.
So long ago—a kind of cloud comes over my memory now;
But nothing, I know, in the [illegible] since then has got the same rainbow.

And you are altered [illegible], but [illegible] the merry ways,
The [illegible] laugh and the ringing voice you had in the good old days.

As still as a ghost you steal on me when I am all alone
And under the shivery locust leaves down there on the shady stone,

Sometimes by the hour together you sit and look at me,
With a look in your eyes it well nigh makes my own run over to see.

What is it you're taking so to heart? What secret worrying, Ben?
The grandsire is [illegible] to hold his tongue—no fear he'll tell it again.

Your mother there in her dairy, over the butter and cheese,
It's little enough she thinks of what the old man hears and sees,

And as for that Josiah, at every word I say,
He stares in my face as if he thought my wits were gone astray.

Good Lord! But it makes me laugh to think that, after all their airs,
At eighty or ninety, is it my sight is better than theirs?

Aha! they'll stare when they miss us both, some morning by and by!
It's borne on my mind we've a journey to make together, you and I.

You're come to fetch me away, I doubt; you're tired of being alone?
Yes, lad, I'll hobble along with you; an old head's better than none.

But on a day like this, you see, when the corn is cropping out,
And the smell of the ripening clover fields comes up from all about,

I'd sooner sit and dream a bit, so happy and still, somehow,
While the sun soaks into my stiff old bones, that get so chilly now.

But you—you are pale with the heat, Ben. It's going on for noon;
I doubt the men from the meadow will be up for their dinner soon.

Meantime, we two in the quiet here, we'll have a nap together—
You in the shade and I in the sun, this dozy summer weather.

—*The Independent*

ULF'S DUNE[*]

A STORY OF A FATHER'S LOVE

(From the German of A. Vollmar.)

A dense gray veil enshrouds the land of my story. It so envelops the people that they look very unlike us. It is the veil of the Past. But, although time and place and people have changed, Joy and Sorrow—those two children whose true mother's name is "Love"—still survive. They existed hundreds and thousands of years ago, but in their strength and youth are even to-day men's companions through life. Yes, little stunted fir-trees, you nod assent to my words, for you have lived through my story and sympathize with it, and in your evergreen garb are a picture of that faithful love that I shall now describe.

We are standing on a moving mountainous chain, which is slowly, slowly moving its feet backward, ever advancing farther-inland, and concealing in its bosom the ruins of churches and villages—moving over fields and swallowing up blooming meadows, slowly but yet surely. For centuries man has been struggling with the mountain. Inch by inch he has defended his soil, learning at last how to employ this enemy against the sea, another and still more powerful foe. The Dune Mountains, those gigantic piles of sand, collected together by the wind, must serve as mighty barriers against the raging sea.

A wonderful mountain range! Apparently devoid of tone or color, monotonous and uninteresting! But when we consider its height, its length, its valleys, and hills, the springs and scenery it contains, the Dune villages, scattered here and there, the animals whose home is amid these mountains, the peculiar vegetation, that fights courageously for existence, the people, who are as proud of their home as the Swiss of his Alps—when we take all this into consideration, we wander with interest over the Dunes, and learn to love the people who inhabit these seemingly barren coasts of the sea.

Yon lofty Dune, the highest of all around us, is known as Ulf's Dune. Do you ask why? Centuries have passed away, the sea, the source of the sand, has rolled on incessantly, the waves have ploughed up the sand from the bottom of the sea, taken it in their arms and brought it to the surface, where the wind has taken it up on its pinions and borne it further, thus turning new Dunes, neither sea nor land, the storm has wrestled with other Dunes, the waves have overpowered them, they have been blown away from the land; but Ulf's Dune still stands there firm and lofty, as firm to-day as a father's or a mother's love.

In that long, narrow village, built in and on the Dunes, lives Ulf, a sailor. His hut is small, the furniture miserable, but the wretched room contains a treasure, the like of which is found nowhere else, neither in mountain mines nor the depths of the sea. It is Ulf's only child, his son, tall of stature, with golden hair and blue eyes, bright in intellect and pure in heart, called, after the manner of the Frisians, Ulf's son. He is the treasure for which the old sailor has lived, labored, and toiled for many years. Ulf is father and mother to the child. Ulf's son has never seen and never missed his mother. The rugged brown sailor has dealt tenderly and gently with the child. Happy in his love, he is only jealous in the thought that the child could have any object dearer than himself. Ulf has taken him out upon the raging sea, and there only trembled once, and then not for himself, but for him. He has hunted with him in the paths of the wild rabbits, and crept after the gulls to rob them of their eggs, because Ulf's son delights in all this, and the little room, although filled with pure delight and pleasure, is all too narrow for him.

But Ulf's son has now become a youth, and he is anxious to see the wide world. The sea, with its everlasting wandering, has inspired him to it, every wave that washes the Dunes is in ceaseless motion, each saying to the other "Farewell, I cannot stay." And the young fellow says, likewise with a determined look, to his father "Farewell, I cannot stay. I am not satisfied with moving hither and thither along the coast in a frail boat. The keel of a ship must be my steed, the flowing and my pilgrim's staff. Farewell, I cannot stay." And, although Ulf tells his son that danger will lurk about him in the strange waters that are so little frequented, that the pirates of Tunis, who make the Mediterranean unsafe, have dragged away the sons of their island as slaves into their torrid land, although he tells him that no one can survive in those regions, it is all in vain. As the fresh young crop cannot be kept below the covering of snow, as the stream presses forward to enjoy its liberty without stint in the sea, so is Ulf's son impelled to set forth.

With his head lifted high with youthful spirit, joy sparkling from his flashing eyes, and his soul opened wide to embrace every thing that he sees new and beautiful, he leaves old Ulf alone. The latter pursues his labor as before, but he knows no longer for whom he lives or toils. All his work heretofore was done only for his son. Now there is nothing more to do for him.

Time passes. The season has come around when Ulf's son should return from his voyage. The old sailor every day ascends the lofty Dune, from which he can look far out upon the sea. There he sits and watches whether he can spy the ship that brings his son home to him.

It is harvest! How quickly Ulf performs his day's task, and then hastens to the Dune, to hail his beloved son, lingering for hours in expectation of seeing him, and waiting until dusky night descends, when even his sharp eye can no longer penetrate the darkness. Thus for weeks he passes day after day. Oh! how terrible is such anxious expectation! How heart and eye are wearied! What strange forms the clouds assume! Are they not the frightful pictures that arise in the sorrow-laden heart of the anxious father?

> Peace, O peace [illegible], my child must live and come
> Ye waves swallow him not
> [illegible]
> [illegible]
> O bring him home
> [illegible]

The autumnal storms rage wild and fearful over the land, the sea rolls and in its rage dashes against the Dunes, but Ulf, the faithful watchman, sits at his post, searching the horizon for the little speck which he wishes to hail as his son's ship.

In vain.

At length news comes of the ship that contained Ulf's only hope. But what news! It had been captured off the coast of Tunis by the pirates, and all the crew had been led away into slavery.

Now Ulf sits no longer on his Dune. He lies in his hut, and a burning fever rages through his members. He sees his son, the merry lad, to whom even the whole world was all too narrow, weighed down with chains, he to whom the cold storms of winter were welcome zephyrs, pines now under the burning sun of Africa, the son for whom the father toiled and suffered, for whose happiness he would have gladly died, is now a slave to the whims of a bloodthirsty, despotic lord.

Ulf recovers. He is still a vigorous man, and he possesses, besides, a self-sacrificing love, a strong will, that is master of his sick body.

But how changed is Ulf's life now. Where is the man who sat for hours thinking and waiting upon the lonely Dune? He has entered upon a new life. How faithfully and carefully he watches his few sheep, going himself to the mainland to sell their wool for the highest price. How zealously he devotes himself to catching fish and converting them into money. If he find wood upon the strand, he picks it up, piece by piece, and then sells it. When any one asks him why he does it, his only answer is

"I need it for my son."

Thousands of wild rabbits live on the Dunes. Usually the children of the islanders snare them. But Ulf now steals away at every leisure hour to the haunts of the little animals, with his snares, and on the way he does not neglect to cut the grass which grows on the Dunes, and to carry it home in his arms. Out of this grass, in the late evening hours, he twists strong ropes, which the people in the interior are glad to buy and to pay well for them, for Ulf needs money, much money. Thus the winter passes away, and spring comes even to this little spot of land, uttering a joyous "God greet you" to all its people. Will Ulf also now be glad again because it is spring?

> On the meadow and the Dune
> Hope from Heaven cometh down
> To Christ the Lord be the praise
> For gladsome spring be alway!

In Ulf's heart is still winter, cheerless winter. He cannot say "To Christ the Lord be the praise," he cannot praise the Christ who permitted his son to become a slave. Spring is now only the reminder that it is time to gather the eggs of the sea-gull and eider-duck, which have their nests in the Dunes, because the rich people will pay money for them, and Ulf needs *much* money.

And then he must go upon the strand again to catch seals. Sometimes he also finds a piece of amber there. He looks at everything only with a calculating eye that queries thus: "How much money can I get for it?"

"But, Ulf, you are certainly becoming avaricious," the people say.

"I need it for my son," is the reply. Thus he gathers up, and saves from early morn to late evening, for he means to collect sufficient money to ransom his son from slavery. Ulf knows the terms—unfortunately this is not the first time that one of the residents of the island has fallen into the pirates' hands, and he applies to the consul, who kindly assists the poor sailor.

At last years have elapsed—years full of labor and deprivation. The ransom is ready. Now, ye pirates, in exchange for this white silver and red gold, give me back my child, my only child.

The Consul arranges the negotiation. Ulf's son is released. He will soon set sail, and may be expected home in the month of June.

Ulf now for the first time examines his hut, and sees that it has a ruinous appearance. Soon his son's eye will fall upon this. He must not see anything out of order. Therefore he decorates and cleans up everything, and arranges his son's room exactly as it was when he left it. How the bricks in the great stove shine! The father adds to the strange eggs the son had once collected others found during his absence. Everything is now ready, only let him come!

Ulf once more sits upon his Dune and looks anxiously out over the sea. The raging waves, that strike the steep side of the Dune in angry surf, break the silence of the place. No person is within sight. Ulf sticks to the place where his hopes are anchored. He waits, and the little fir bush in his neighborhood waits with him.

At last! There is the ship which brings Ulf's son home. It is no phantom, it is really and truly a ship.

> From the mast unfurl the flag,
> At home thou art at last
> All sorrow away be cast—
> At home thou art at last
>
> The anchor, down let it sink,
> No thought about the past,
> The sad heart joy may drink,
> At home thou art at last

The ship lays to, the boat that bears Ulf's son pushes off from its side. The old man can scarcely comprehend that he is about to secure the object of his hopes, that all suffering and sorrow will now be at an end, that he shall soon enclose the beloved son in his arms.

Ulf's son steps out. It is an Ulf's son, but not—his son. Another Ulf's son from Amrun had also been languishing in slavery, and, bearing the same name, as is frequently the case with the Frisians, the wrong Ulf's son had been ransomed from slavery.

Poor Ulf! For years you have labored, suffered, sorrowed, hoped, and now at the end of your voyage, your vessel is wrecked, no harbor gives you shelter, no hope stimulates you to fresh effort, nothing is left to you but—despair.

And it was despair that now laid hold of the poor father with its withering hands—despair that reveled in his heart, that threw him upon a sick bed, much more serious in its nature than his previous attack.

The summer was over when Ulf at last arose from his bed. No flush of convalescence streamed through his veins, no joy convulsed his heart at his rescue from the gaping grave at his feet. His hair had become white, his hands emaciated and powerless, his stature bent, and melancholy had seized the old man's desolated heart. No hope animated him. His son was still pining in slavery, his hardly-earned money was gone, and he has now no strength to earn any more. Even if his hands were too feeble for work, his will is crushed and he can no longer undertake anything.

Instinctively he still does one thing: he seeks his accustomed place on yon lofty Dune, sits there with the sand at his feet, the wind howling about him, entangling his white locks. There he sits for hours, and lets his sorrowful eyes sweep the boundless surface of the sea.

What a picture! There sits the old man on the summit of the mountainous Dune, which looks itself from below like a gigantic barren tree hurled to the ground. Its branches are miles in length, often grown over with moss, looking on the land side a dark brown, from the blooming heather which covers such large stretches of the Dunes, although the shading is less on the side of the sea, where only reeds and briars grow until it disappears in the cold yellow of the sand mountain. A barren, upturned tree—a picture of Ulf's hopes. And, as myriads of flies sport around a tree, so myriads of sea gulls sport around this gigantic tree. Are they ravens, proclaiming that there is nothing to be hoped for? No, they are white in color; one might imagine them gigantic white flowers, blooming along the coast line and crowning the tips of the branches. And as flowers move to and fro in sweet thoughts of love, open and shut their little cups, so these bird-flowers move when poised upon their wings.

Poor, lonely man, shall flowers also yet bloom from your overthrown, withered life tree?

The passers by shake their heads and ask: "Does he still hope that his son will return?"

Yes. Ulf hopes, even though it be with trembling, and the ground of this hope is the Almighty God, who has spoken the word to him in his solitude. Hope needeth not be ashamed.

One day some sailors return from the Mediterranean, bringing Ulf tidings and a letter from his son. He is alive and still well. The life of the son of the island has been marked with many wonderful vicissitudes. Immediately after his capture he was the slave of an African prince. By faithful service he won his confidence, and became in course of years an officer, and finally a general. But he is homesick to see his father, his island, his Dunes. He will come home as soon as he can. His soul yearns to be beyond the sea. He will come.

Lift up your head, old Ulf. Spring cometh, winter is gone.

The sandy, windy Dune is metamorphosed into a temple of joy.

Old Ulf has no desire now to leave the place. He must be the first to see his son come home. If he can kindle no fire of joy to proclaim his happiness to all the people around, still it burns in his heart and sparkles from his eyes.

Days, weeks, months pass away. The fire burns more dimly. Oh! how painful is the watch.

Years, like leaden weights, drag their slow length along. The fire is extinguished. To continue to expect, to continue to be calm, to continue to hope! And when there is so little time!

"If my son does not come soon," murmured Ulf, "he can only pray at my grave."

He is almost disheartened, but the fir tree at his side looks so green and bids him "take courage."

There comes a ship. A voice within says to Ulf: "That's the ship that brings your son." He hastens from the Dune to the strand, and suddenly a pair of strong, manly arms embrace the old man, while a voice that he never has forgotten exclaims "Father! my dear father!"

Yes, it is he! Ulf's son! No longer the slender youth, with blonde hair—no, a burly man, burnt brown by the suns of Africa, but still with the blue eyes of Ulf's son, and these eyes look with unutterable love upon the aged father.

"Father, nothing now shall separate us," he says. "I shall stay with you."

As if these old hands would ever let him go!

But love has even a firmer grasp than hands. Thenceforth Ulf's son lives as though to give double return for all the lost years of waiting and longing, for all his father's love. He toils for him, reciprocates his tenderness, serves him with filial love, so that the last years of Ulf's life are the most beautiful of his pilgrimage. Although the son has brought along with him from Africa many rare pearls and costly stones, the precious pearl that is hidden in the depths of his soul is more precious than them all.

When others bore the tidings that he had used the period of his power to aid the oppressed, to help the suffering, to rescue the helpless, his countrymen came to him, offering a post of honor amongst them which he can easily fill, and Ulf's son is made Strandvogt (Inspector) of Amrun.

But, whether general, strandvogt, or slave, he is and will always be the beloved child of his father.

Ulf is old and crowned with years. He wanders as often as he can to the top of his Dune, frequently accompanied by him for whom he suffered so much there.

Finally, when he commends his weary spirit into the hands of God the Father, of the Father who so loved poor Ulf that he gave his son to servitude and death for him, it is Ulf's son from whom he hears the last words of prayer and his hands that close the old man's eyes.

It is also he who digs his father's grave and buries him. High up on Ulf's Dune, the place of his sufferings, the anchorage of his hopes, there lies the old sailor in his grave.

The little fir tree, the only one around, having seen so much of the father's love, now bends its evergreen boughs over the grave.

Every year it wanders off, out into the wide world, through snow and ice, to tell all children of the love of *another* Father, but

> No man's lips may proclaim
> How deep his love
> Though one may sound the sea
> And measure Heaven's hight,
> No man's lips may proclaim
> How deep the love of God!

—*Independent*

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[*] Dunes, an ancient Saxon word used to designate hills of sand along the coast, which are blown together by the winds.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Financial.

FRIDAY EVENING, April 11, 1873.

Gold in New York to-day, 118¼.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 86¼ buying; 87 selling.

Gold bars are quotable at 860 fine.

Wheat in Liverpool—Average California, 11s 5d@11s 8d, club 11s 9d@12s.

As affecting the probable consequences to the currency of the country, we publish the following Washington dispatch foreshadowing the policy of the new Secretary of the Treasury:

A Washington special contains the following report of the policy of the new Secretary of the Treasury: The new Secretary of the Treasury, Judge Richardson, gave the first intimation of what his policy in regard to the sale of gold and the purchase of bonds is to be when he issued his programme for the month of April. His predecessor, Senator Boutwell, was in the habit of making his purchase of bonds about the same time with his sales of gold. It is understood, however, that a necessity existed for this policy, unknown under Boutwell's administration, or at least it had no existence till last fall, at the time a certain amount of $44,000,000 of currency reserve was put in circulation. It has never been entirely replaced. The action of Congress at its last session, though not mandatory on this question, was sufficiently explicit to indicate that further drafts upon the reserve would provoke positive legislation. According to the last public debt statement there was about $2,570,000 of this reserve still out. It is understood that the purpose of Secretary Richardson is to replace this sum at the earliest time possible. To do so he will, of course, be compelled to sell as much gold as he can spare, to help meet the current expenses of the Government, and purchase a less amount of bonds. That appears to be his policy, for the present at least. Some persons will perhaps be surprised to learn that during the last year contraction has been carried on by the Treasury Department to the extent of $500,000. It has been done mainly by the redemption of three per cent certificates, and through the operation of law, redistributing the national bank currency. It is the popular impression that the action of the Secretary of the Treasury has a marked effect upon the monetary interest of the country. Secretary Richardson is of opinion that it is not his orders to buy bonds or sell gold that convulse Wall street, but the condition of the money market in Europe and the amount of imports.

The peculiar liability of the money market to heavy bullion demands, which has been its principal feature ever since the suspension of cash payments by the Bank of France and especially since the German Government began its great coining operation, still continues. There is no report of coin in the German Treasury, but the coinage amounts to $116,000,000, which is on hand. The quantity of coin collected in several of the great reserves is reported as follows:

	Oct 1872	Feb 1873
United States Treasury	$78,417,271	$60,933,781
Bank of England	94,045,255	125,028,781
Bank of France	157,305,000	159,076,000
Prussian Bank	123,680,000	142,400,000
Netherlands Bank	19,570,000	...
Hamburg Bank	23,075,000	11,840,000
Austrian Bank	63,730,000	71,850,000
Belgium	22,725,000	22,300,000

The British Iron Trade.

A new fact affecting the production of an article entering so largely as iron into every department of the various enterprises of the age, and so extensively distributed throughout the world, is of interest. We collate the following from a London paper in reference to the condition of the trade in Great Britain:

A step has been resolved upon by the ironmasters of South Wales which is fraught with grave consequences—the entire abandonment of the iron mines at the present works of this district and in the adjacent mineral fields of Monmouthshire. This appears to be only part of a larger plan, which has been seriously considered and well matured, to gradually effect the transfer, where possible, of the capital now flowing in iron manufacture to the more remunerative channels of industry in the coal trade. Ironmasters are not generally pessimists, but they are beginning to say that the making of iron, so far as it is concerned with the making of wealth, is an exhausted idea. The great fortunes that have been built up by historic families from the Welsh iron works are all events of a former age.

At Lunda, which now belongs to Mr Brogden's company, £100,000 was sunk by the former owner, who then became bankrupt. £115,000 were expended at Maesteg without profit before the works were bought by the present owners. At Plymouth and Pentrebach £400,000 were invested, and the works were afterwards sold for a bargain to Mr Fothergill M P. The Monmouthshire Iron and Coal Company was started with a capital of £630,000 forty years ago. The money has long since departed, and the company died of atrophy. Victoria iron works cost £100,000, and were sold for £50,000. Ebbw Vale works ruined their former proprietors, and came into the hands of another firm, which sank a large capital and losing £50,000 by the Eric Railway, had to arrange with their creditors. Blaina iron works, after exhausting the funds of their projector, were sold to a company who expended £200,000 and then abandoned them. Cwmbran, built for £80,000, sold for £3,000. Abersychan, on which £200,000 were spent by a company who ran through a capital of £1,000,000, were sold for £16,000. For one establishment of iron works which became profitable there are ten which have brought loss or ruin upon their owners. Mr Fothergill has stated that he will not reopen Penydarran works, and Mr Phillips, one of the directors of the Ebbw Vale Company, says positively that no more iron shall be made at Abersychan.

The excessive price of coal is exercising a depressing effect on the trade of the north of England and [illegible], every manufacturing centre is keenly [illegible] the dearth of fuel, with the exception, perhaps, of South Yorkshire, which, to the owners of most of the large iron works, seems not to be so greatly inconvenienced for want of fuel and raw material. [illegible] hardly any [illegible] which were being [illegible] a sense of [illegible]. The make of pig iron shows a falling off, in fact, the demand is such that the productive powers of furnaces are not equal to keep up with it. A great deal of ore is being received from North [illegible], which gives the [illegible]. Throughout Derbyshire the iron trade is in a healthy state, and there is a brisk demand for most kinds of manufactured iron. Notwithstanding the numerous difficulties encountered by manufacturers in obtaining continuous and sufficient supplies of raw material and fuel, the iron [illegible] West York [illegible] exceedingly [illegible]. The prices of finished iron are firm, and orders are being offered with greater freedom than ever, but makers are chary of accepting orders for future [illegible], and this disinclination to contract for new work will [illegible] these contracts until there is a more settled [illegible] in regard to the supply of fuel.

Miscellaneous.

Hereafter the deficiency tax on brewers and distillers will be assessed from the Internal Revenue direct. The law in this respect, as far as the survey of the distillery and its holding is to a deficiency tax if worked less than eighty per cent of its capacity, has undergone no change. In collecting this tax the Bureau will do so as to the deficiency through the returns of gaugers and storekeepers, which are to be kept on file in the Department at Washington.

The statements of the condition of national banks throughout the country at the close of business February 28, 1873, have all been examined, and the Comptroller of the Currency will soon make his report thereon. The fact is presented by this examination that more banks than ever before are deficient in their legal reserve fund, which is to be accounted for by the tightness of the money market and the demand for capital attendant upon the increased business at this season of the year. The Comptroller has notified over three hundred banks who are thus delinquent in their reserve to make the same good at once.

The Costa Rica coffee crop this year is estimated at 30,000,000 pounds.

Instructions for the exchange and redemption after April 1, 1873, in sums of not less than $20, or its multiple of all old copper, bronze and copper nickel coins heretofore authorized by law, have been issued by the Treasury Department.

A correspondent writing from Mountain City, Texas, says: "From the fact that we have been driving so largely since the war it would seem that we could drive but few more. Despite this fact we will supply Kansas and the Western Territories with a goodly number. In some portions of the State, west, south, and southwest, the fatality among the cattle has been great. This fact and misfortune has had a tendency to discourage many stockraisers, and they are determined to sell or drive. In my immediate vicinity our losses have been nominal. From the country—embracing three counties which constitute the best grazing region in this immediate vicinity—there will be about 10,000 or 15,000 drives. Cattle are worth about the same as they were last year. Agriculture is fast superseding stock raising, and in a few years cattle will be raised on a limited scale. It is my opinion that about two thirds of last year's drive will be driven this year."

Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Flour—Best city extra, $5 62½@5 75 for jobbing lots.

Wheat—Shippers are paying $1 80; millers $1 82½@1 85.

Barley—Feed $1 20@1 25, brewing, 1 25@1 37½.

Oats—Jobbing at $2 40@2 60.

Hay—From $14@22.

Potatoes—Humboldt, 95@$1 10; other kinds 60@80c, New Mission 2@2 25.

Provisions—The *Commercial Herald* reports 20,000 lbs Whittaker's hams at 15c, 25,000 lbs Banner, part at 16¼c, 10,000 lbs Phillips 14½c. 10,000 lbs bacon for government, private, 30,000 lbs California, part for export, private.

Lard—30,000 lbs Eastern in tierces, 10@12½c, California for export, 10½c, at 30 days.

Dairy Products—7,000 lbs California butter, packed in 2-lb jars for government, 29½c.

Ripe Fruits—The receipts for strawberries this morning amounted to 2,600 lbs—prices realized, 20@22½c—the lowest yet paid.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Arrived—Free Trade, Columbia river; Wm. Ireland, Kodiac, Good Templar, Coos Bay.

Sailed—D C Murray, Honolulu, Orizaba, San Diego. Bound in to-night—Bark Rival, Portland, and three barkentines.

Harmony Lodge, No 12, A. F. & A. M.—Regular Communications on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month. By order of the W. M.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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Bird Mary
Burk, Miss Rosa
Brooks, Mrs M Ilia
Cain, Miss Mary
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Choate, Miss Mary
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Dougherty, Miss B
Dix, Mrs Teresa
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Gallagher, Miss Mary
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Hunter, Miss Agnate
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Beach, W W
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Carroll, Charles
Conly, John
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McGregor, A
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